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TO AMEMBASSY ALGIERS PRIORITY

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PLOS, AG

SUBJECT: LOS - POSSIBLE VISIT TO ALGERIA BY AMBASSADOR
RICHARDSON

REF: ALGIERS 730

1. EMBASSY COMMENTS REFTEL REGARDING ALGERIAN ATTITUDE ON LAW OF THE SEA MUCH APPRECIATED.

2. AMBASSADOR RICHARDSON IS PLANNING A TRIP TO THE MIDDLE EAST IN LATE APRIL FOR DISCUSSION OF LOS ISSUES WITH LEADERS IN KEY COUNTRIES. ALTHOUGH DIFFICULTY OF PENETRATING HARDLINE GOA POSITION ON LOS IS CLEARLY UNDERSTOOD, GIVEN IMPORTANCE OF ALGERIAN ROLE AMBASSADOR RICHARDSON IS CONSIDERING STOP IN ALGIERS FOR EFFORT TO OPEN DIALOGUE AT HIGH LEVEL. WE WOULD APPRECIATE EMBASSY REACTION TO THIS POSSIBILITY AND WHETHER IT MIGHT BE OF ANY VALUE IN OUR OVERALL EFFORT.

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3. AT YOUR DISCRETION YOU MAY DISCUSS POSSIBLE VISIT TO ALGIERS BY AMBASSADOR RICHARDSON WITH APPROPRIATE ALGERIAN OFFICIALS. HE WOULD PLAN TO ARRIVE IN ALGIERS LATE AFTER-NOON APRIL 29 AND LEAVE AROUND MIDDAY MAY 1. FYI AMBASSADOR'S SCHEDULE IS VERY TIGHT AND VISIT TO ALGIERS

PROBABLY ONLY FEASIBLE ON ABOVE DATES. END FYI.

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